

Indiana Department of Environmental Management Office of Water Quality Wetlands Section

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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Closing Date: October 26, 2020

To all interested parties: This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for **Section 401 Water Quality Certification** by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant: Brian Steven-Hotopp

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Flatland Resources, LLC

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3. Project location: Latitude: 40.19299, Longitude: -85.3631

White River under the Jackson St. bridge

4. Affected waterbody: White River

5. Project Description: The applicant proposes stabilize 400 linear feet (lf) of the left bank of the White River and install limestone steps

along 89 If of right bank to the channel's edge. The bank stabilization will consist of soil lifts and native herbaceous vegetation. The project is proposed as part of the newly developed Kitselman Gateway Park. For additional information please visit the following webpage address: http://www.in.gov/idem/5474.htm

Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review

process.

Public Hearing:

Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Mrs. Amari Farren, Project Manager, at 317-234-6351 or by email to <u>afarren@idem.in.gov</u>. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to –

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